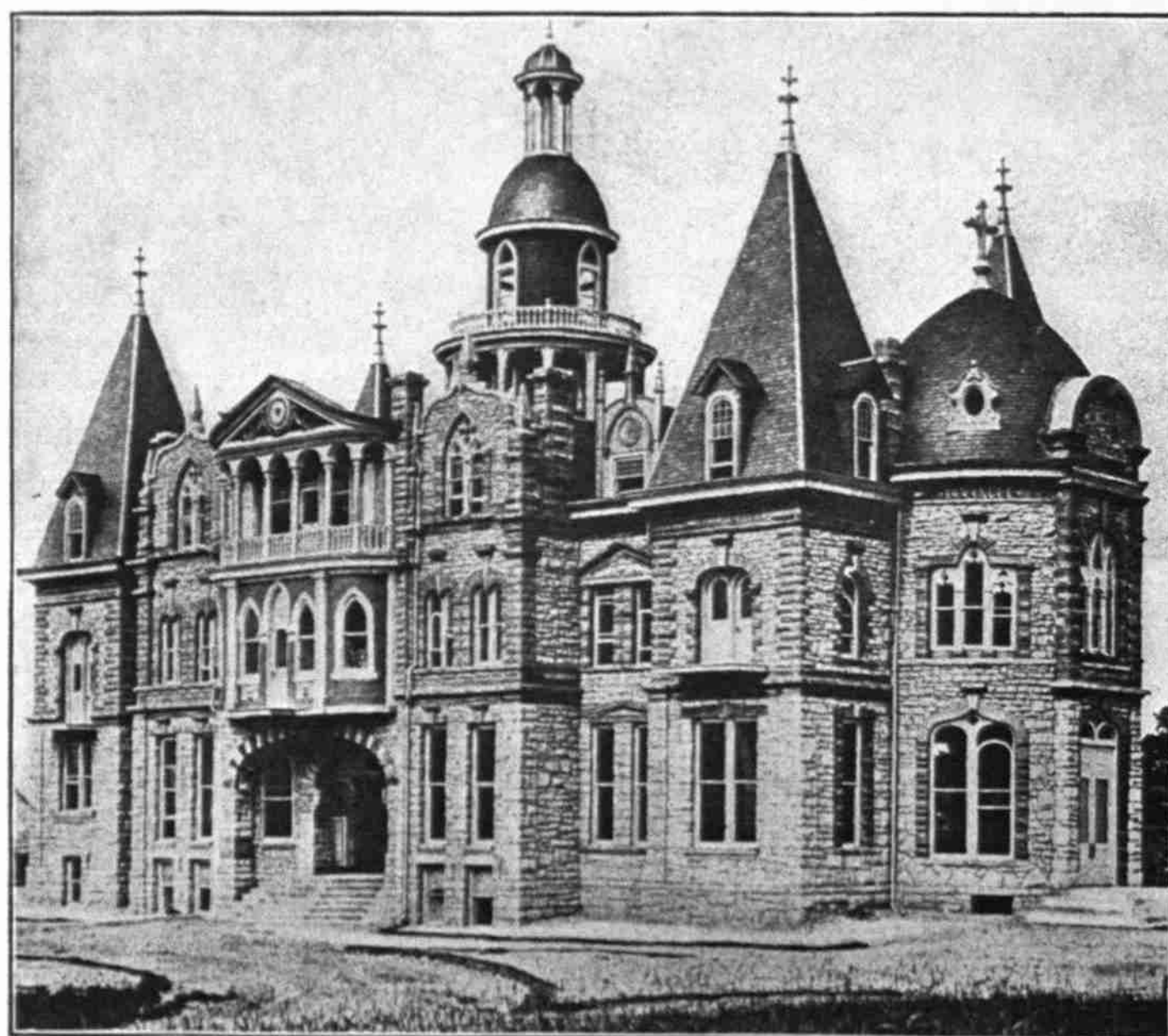


young men are studying for the ministry. The school has fourteen acres of ground.

The chief object of the college is to provide a liberal and practical training for young men who intend to enter the ministry or engage in missionary school work, and for gifted girls who desire to enter the service of the church as Christian school teachers.

The college regards mental training without the Word of God to be of small value, and it gives thorough religious instruction and exerts strong Christian influence.



IMMANUEL LUTHERAN COLLEGE

The course of study includes religion, English, German, Latin, Greek, history, mathematics, geography, natural science, penmanship, and music. Special attention is paid to voice culture. Vocal music is obligatory. Every candidate for graduation is required to know the first essentials of music and be able to read notes at sight. Two periods a week are devoted to careful rhythmic singing of Lutheran hymns.

Instruction is given on the cabinet and reed organs in playing church music, short voluntaries, and any exercises intended to fit the students for the various uses of the instrument. This is done with a view to preparing the students for positions as organists in churches and schools, for which there is great demand.

The Christian and Missionary Alliance

THE Christian and Missionary Alliance is not a denomination, but is a society of Christians of nearly all denominations who believe in full salvation through Jesus Christ; and they take him to be their Saviour, Sanctifier, Healer, and coming King. They also believe that Christians should speedily carry the gospel to all nations. Africa is one of the oldest fields. But, believing that God is calling colored workers to that land (as well as home fields), it proposes to give them special training and Bible study to fit them for it.

There are two schools under the care of the Alliance: The Lovejoy Missionary Institute, Tryon, N. C.; and the Mary B. Mullen School, Ayr, N. C.

Mary B. Mullen School, Ayr, N. C.

Miss Minnie F. Lee, President

THE Mary B. Mullen School was founded by the Christian Missionary Alliance in 1907. There were 3 Negro female teachers, and 25 male and 27 female pupils, from four to thirty years of age, in 1908.

The valuation of the property is \$3,000. The annual expenses are \$700. A small monthly allowance is received from the Christian Missionary Alliance. Other support comes in gifts from friends. The school is located in the mountain region of western North Carolina. The people in the locality of the school appreciate the advantages of the school and are giving



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